GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
A B S T R A C T

Revenue Department - T.T.Ds. – Appeal petition filed by Sri T.S. Bhaskar Rao, Formerly Assistant, TTD Kalyana Mandapam, Mangalagiri, presently working in the sales wing of TTD, Tirupati, before the Government u/s 120 (ii) of the Act 30/1987 against the orders of stoppage of 5 periodical increments with cumulative effect besides recovering the lose of Rs.60,772-65 sustained to TTD –Appeal petition dismissed - Orders – Issued.

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REVENUE (ENDTS.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 371 Dated: 17-08-2017

Read the following:

1. From Sri T. S. Bhaskar Rao, Formerly Assistant, TTD Kalyana Mandapam, Mangalagiri, presently working in the sales wing of TTD, Appeal petition, dt :18.03.2016.
2. From the E.O, TTD Lr. Roc.B8/7718/2016, Dt.25.06.2016.

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O R D E R:

Sri T.S. Bhaskar Rao, Formerly Assistant, TTD Kalyana Mandapam, Mangalagiri, presently working in the sales wing of TTD, was suspended for the misappropriation of amounts and on certain other irregularities noticed at TTD Kalyanamandapam at Tenali.

2. Basing on the above, 18 charges were framed against Sri T.S. Bhaskar Rao, Assistant/ Shroff . Out of the 18 charges, 14 charges were held proved, charge No.9 treated as part of charge No.8 and the rest 3 charges were not held proved. An amount of Rs.60,772.65 was identified as pecuniary loss to TTD due to non-remittances of collections into TTD A/C and as well as his negligence in selling books with 30/- rebate without authenticated orders of the management.

3. Sri T.S. Bhaskara Rao, Assistant/Shroff has submitted his explanation and denied the charges. The EO, TTD, Tirupati has examined the various aspects of the case into consideration and in view of the findings of the Inquiry Officer, a show-cause notice was issued to Sri T.S. Bhaskar Rao, Asst./Shroff, proposing the punishment of stoppage of (5) five increments with cumulative effect besides recovering the loss sustained by TTD to the tune of Rs.60,772.65 from his salary at Rs.2,500/- per month. Aggrieved by the said orders, he filed an appeal before the TTD Board under section 120(i) of Act 30 of 1987 and requested to take a lenient view of the lapses and set aside the final orders issued in Proc.Roc.No.DA1/50190/1995, dt. 23.05.2002. The TTD Board in its Res.No.183, dated: 07.12.2015, approved the recommendations of the Sub-committee and rejected the appeal petition and the decision of the TTD Board was communicated to the appellant.

4. In the reference 1st read above, Sri T.S. Bhaskar Rao, Assistant has filed an appeal before the Government under section 120 (ii) of the Act 30/1987 and stated that, while he was working in TTD Kalyana Mandapam, Mangalagiri there were certain late remittances of TTD collections, which happened due to lack of knowledge in official procedure and also due to lack of guidance by the immediate superiors, due to which everything went in disorder. Hence he has requested to modify the punishment of stoppage of (5) annual periodical increments with cumulative effect, awarded, to that of without cumulative effect. The case was called for hearing on 12.06.2017. Both the appellant and the representative of TTD attended and the case was heard.

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5. The Government heard the arguments and examined relevant records. The enquiry was conducted in accordance with rules. After perusing the relevant records, it is found that, the lapses are of clear case of Breach of Trust, which caused pecuniary loss sustained to TTD. Accordingly, 18 charges were framed irrespective of amounts, which include the charge of late remittance of TTD collections, misappropriation of amounts and negligence in selling books. The charges held proved reveals, the gross negligence, dereliction of duties, irresponsible attitude towards the legitimate duties, and malafide intention of the appellant, to gain wrongfully.

6. The Government after careful examination of relevant available of the records and all the facts of the case into consideration, hereby reject the appeal petition of Sri T.S. Bhaskar Rao, Formerly Assistant, TTD Kalyana Mandapam, Mangalagiri, presently working in the sales wing of TTD as there are no good grounds to interfere with the decision of Board.

7. Accordingly, the appeal petition of Sri T.S. Bhaskar Rao, Formerly Assistant, TTD Kalyana Mandapam, Mangalagiri, presently working in the sales wing of TTD is hereby dismissed.

8. The original records pertaining to the appeal petition before the Government u/s 120 (ii) Sri T.S. Bhaskar Rao, formerly Assistant, TTD Kalyanamandapam, Mangalagiri presently working in sales wing of TTD is returned herewith.

9. The Executive Officer, Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanams, Tirupati shall take necessary further action in the matter, accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr. MANMOHAN SINGH
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Executive Officer, Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanams, Tirupati.
[with the records 1) DA1/50190/1995(02 volumes in all)
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Sri T.S. Bhaskar Rao, Formerly Assistant, TTD Kalyana Mandapam, Mangalagiri, presently working in the sales wing of TTD
(Through the Executive Officer Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanams., Tirupati)

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